GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
RAILWAYS
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1143
ANSWERED ON:27.07.2015
Funds for Railway Projects
Tadas Shri Ramdas Chandrabhanji

Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) whether any Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) has been signed between Union Government and the State Governments to start new railway projects in the country recently;

(b) if so, the number of Memorandum of Understanding so far signed to start the urban and rural railway projects and the details of the States benefited due to it, State/Zone-wise;

(c) the updated status of the ongoing/pending rail projects in the country including Maharashtra during the last three years and the current year; and

(d) the details of the funds allocated and spent by the Railways on each of the aforesaid project?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS
(SHRI MANOJ SINHA)

(a) to (d): A Statement is laid on the Table of the House.

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STATEMENT REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PARTS (a) TO (d) OF UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1143 BY SHRI RAMDAS C. TADAS TO BE ANSWERED IN LOK SABHA ON 27.07.2015 REGARDING FUNDS FOR RAILWAY PROJECTS

(a) & (b): Ministry of Railways has signed MoUs with Governments of Maharashtra, Odisha, Jharkhand and Ministry of Coal for implementation of some new railway projects in 2015-16.

(c) & (d): During the last three years and the current year, 34 New Line, 4 Gauge Conversion and 112 Doubling projects have been taken up in the country including Maharashtra at a cost of `1,53,251 Crore. On these projects, an expenditure of ` 517 Crore has been made upto 31.03.2015 and an outlay of ` 5898 Crore has been provided for the year 2015-16. Project-wise details of expenditure upto March, 2015 and outlay for 2015-16 are appended.

The updated position of major projects of New Line, Gauge Conversion, Doubling and Railway Electrification projects in the country, including Maharashtra sanctioned in last three years & current years, along with the details of latest anticipated cost, expenditure upto March, 2015 and outlay provided in 2015-16 are appended.

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